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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed May 30, 2008, the term for response to which expires on August 30, 2008, which is automatically extended to Tuesday, September 2, 2008, due to the Labor Day holiday.

Amendments to the Specification are set forth on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. Claims 1 and 4 are amended; claims 2, 3, 5 and 6 are canceled; and claims 7 and 8 are added.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

This paper is being submitted
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